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KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.

THREE PEOPLE KILLED, TWO FATALLY HURT.

Casualties on Railroads for the Year Shrinkage in Prices-Fears for a Pacific Steamship.

Pesse Hunts Down a Murderer.

Near Cynthiana, Ky., Orville Eals, a farmer, killed John Fields. With his wife Eals escaped and took refuge in a cabin. A posse was organized and loested him Saturday night. Sunday morning an attack was made upon the cabin. Eals resisted the affack by a fusillade of shots, which was returned. A man named McCombs, of Browningsville, was killed, and two others, Herbert and Wells, fatally shot. When the firing from within ceased the posse forced an entrance and found the dead body of Eals and the murdered body of his wife, who had been butchered with a hatchet, probably before the arrival of the posse.

May Be Lost with All on Board. Inquiry at the Northern Pacific steamfor Yokohama Oct. 12 and left Victoria the steamer Tacoma, says: "I have not give up hope that the Strathnevis will yet turn up all right. It must have run short of coal and put in some port in the Alcutian Islands. There is plenty of condensed milk and flour on board. If Capt. Pattie did put his vessel in there it can be picked up all right by a British man-of-war sent out from either Victoria or Yokohama, but if the Strathnevis is disabled and drifts much south of the track followed by Oriental steamships and other sailing vessels the men are anchorage in the Aleutian Islands it is gersoll's conversion. likely to lie there all winter, making board was about 150."

Rally to the Aid of Clark.

People of the North are sending money and letters to the noted octoroon, Lewis George Clark, the hero of Mrs. Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin." She portrayed him as George Harris. Dispatches were sent out saying he was in a destitute condition at Lexington, Ky. He has received let- gets a clear title to \$1,000,000 worth of ters containing contributions from stock in the First National Bank of Butte Dwight, Ill.; Albany, N. Y.; New York left by his uncle, the late A. J. Davis. City; Baltimore; Winchester, Ind.; and Pittsburg, Pa. All the writers express | Sioux City, Iowa, for the murder of Congreat sympathy for him. His little cot- stant Roush, alias Nellie Patton, formertage was about to be sold for taxes and Iy of Van Meter, Iowa, whom he shot, enthe money he received was paid over to tered a plea of insanity due to cigaret the Sheriff to keep a roof above his head. habit. A movement is on foot, started by a young lawyer of Lexington, to give him and thirty-six wounded. This is a part a benefit at the opera house in the near of the price in human life and limb the

Trade Still Waiting. R. G. Dun & Go.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Business has not improved, though there is little change except in the shrinkage of prices, which a period of inaction naturally causes. After the extraordinary buying of the summer and early fall a marked decrease was inevitable, and it is yet too early in most branches of business to judge how far the future was anticipated in purchases. Retail stocks are still reported distribution in many on account of unfavorable weather. The movement of crops is only fair, both cotton and wheat being largely kept back in the hope of higher prices, and there is a prevalent feeling that foreign imports will fall off."

Slaughter of the Steam Roads. The returns to the department of internal affairs of the steam railroads operating in Pennsylvania show that 1.538 persons were killed and 10,605 injured by them during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1895. Of those killed twentynine were passengers, 447 employes, and 1,107 other persons. The passengers injured numbered 612; employes, 8,346; others persons, 1,649. From the returns of all roads to the department it is found that to every 432 employes there is one killed, and to every twenty-three one injured. Among passengers the ratio is one killed out of 4,325,718, and one injured out of 207,202.

BREVITIES.

The Rev. Dr. I. M. Wise, the senior rabbi of the Plum Street Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio, is responsible for this statement. He has been officiating for almost forty-two years. Not fewer than 10,000 Jewish weddings have occurred in the city during that time; among all these only three divorce suits were filed. In all, wives sued the husbands.

Four persons were drowned in the Monongahela River below Brownsville, ago to a Mrs. Libby, of Kenwood, a sub-Pa., Saturday night. They were returning from Brownsville to Wood Run in a skiff. They got too close to the steamer James G. Blaine, which was coming upstream, and the waves upset the skiff, throwing them all into deep water. Nothing could be done to help them in the darkness. The men's bodies have been recovered.

On Thanksgiving Day morning the sexton of Calvary Cemetery, Cleveland, Ohio, discovered that the grave of Mrs. Mary Malloy had been robbed and the body taken. He placed the case in the hands of the police and Friday two detectives found the body in the dissectingroom of Wooster Medical College. They arrested Henry Griffin, the janitor of the college, a button, apparently from his overcoat, having been found beside the

grave. The history of crime in St. Louis, Mo., last week was an unusual one, an average place. A number have been killed, it is of one murder a day and several stabbings and shootings of a less dangerous nature being the record. The latest victim was Harry Porter, colored, who died of a wound inflicted by George Crawford, also colored, who shot Porter for refusing to buy a can of beer.

H. C. Babcock, president of the Cherokee Manufacturing Company, was found in his office at Dalton, Ga., with a bullet wound through his heart. No cause is known for saicide, as his family relations were entirely happy.

- ATTENDED

EASTERN.

Rev. Julius Feicke, of Jersey City, has eft the pulpit and opened a saloon.

Russia has ordered 1,200 tons of Harveyized armor-plate from a Bethlehem, Pa., iron firm.

Worry over involved financial affairs caused James B. Skehan, a New York broker, to commit suicide.

The remains of General Winfield S. Hancock are to be removed from Norristown, Pa., to Arlington Cemetery, Wash-

By the breaking of an axle on a car of a cable train in the Cambria Iron Company's mine at Johnstown, Pa., eleven in Pennsylvania-Further Slight miners were seriously injured and one fatally.

> The Colt divorce case at Providence, R. I., is said to have been settled outside of court. It is also reported that Colonel Colt's prosecution of Van Alen will be dropped.

> By the bursting of a steam pipe in Hammerstein's Olympia Works at New York eleven men were badly scalded. Fred Winart was instantly killed and Andrew Huggins will die.

> St. Joseph's Church at Mount Carmel, Pa., was burglarized and the communion cup poisoned in order to murder the Rev. Father Jakamowiez. This was fortunately discovered at mass. Hyman Hettenhost, a well-known pugil-

ist and trainer, of Brooklyn, shot and killed his two children and himself Sunday afternoon. Hettenhost was the proprietor of a college of physical instruction in Brooklyn.

In view of the statement from the depship office at Tacoma, Wash, reveals that uty collector of customs at Lewes, Del., no tidings have been received from the to the effect that a thorough search had missing steamer Strathnevis, which cleared failed to discover arms, ammunition or men on board the Joseph W. Foster, the the next day. Second Officer Smith, of secretary of the treasury ordered the ves-

WESTERN.

A. H. Fnchs' millinery store at St. Louis was damaged \$200,000 by fire. Vice President Stevenson and his family left Bloomington for Washington.

The Nebraska Savings and Exchange Bank at Omaha has closed its doors and will go out of business.

At Cleveland, Ohio, arrangements have liable to die of starvation before being been completed by which 3,000 Christian picked up. If the steamer finds a snug | Endeavorers are to unitedly pray for In-

Silver Democrats of Ohio are preparing Yekohama in the spring. With passen- to enter the Presidential fight next year. gers and crew the number of persons on It is proposed to nominate Congressman Sibley, of Pennsylvania, for President.

What is supposed to be the skeleton of Joseph Frommel, of Nelson, Wis., was found in the woods near the mouth of the Chippewa River. Frommel left home last January in a despondent mood.

By a decision of the Montana Supreme Court Andrew J. Davis, Jr., of Butte,

William P. Royce when arraigned at

Forty-six people killed; three hundred city of Chicago has paid in eighteen months for the privilege of rapid transit by the trolley system.

Judge J. D. Rose, president of the Curryville, Mo., bank, has been hiccoughing constantly for the last week. Although several doctors have attended him, they can do nothing for his relief His death is hourly expected.

The storm of Monday night in Franklin. Ind., developed into a regular tornado, which spread destruction on all sides The new city hall, the pride of the city, full in nearly all branches, with delayed | was the worst sufferer from the gale. The damage will amount to \$15,000. Many other buildings were partly wrecked, outhouses blown down, trees prostrated and fences and signs torn away.

> During the funeral of Philip Smith at the Milledgeville, Ohio, Church a heavy piece of plaster molding from the ceiling fell and cut the head of one of the mourn ers severely. Panic seized the mourners. They rushed to the door, but were checked by the Rev. Mr. Wells, whose coolness prevented many accidents. The body was taken outdoors and the ser

> The steamer J. Emory Owen and her consorts, the schooners Michigan and Nicholson, were driven ashore a few miles above Chicago during the frightful gale of Monday night. The crews were all rescued by the life-savers, but the boats, valued at \$70,000, will probably prove total losses. A large steamer went ashore near Miquon, Wis. The tug Wel come and the life-saving crew rescued

> Peter McGeoch, one of Milwaukee's oldest and best-known citizens, shot and fatally injured himself at his home Wednesday at noon. His wife had only a few days before brought suit for di vorce, incompatibility of temper being the ground stated in the complaint. It is supposed that brooding over this led Mc Geoch to take his life. His connection with the famous lard deal several years ago made his name a familiar one all over the country. He was married eight years urb of Chicago.

Twenty-five prisoners in the State prison at Jackson, Mich., among them being some of the most dangerous convicts behind its walls, revolted Tuesday, attacking their keepers with bars of iron and hammers. Superintendent Coffey, of the shirt factory, in which the men were employed, was terribly beaten. Foreman Mueller, of the factory, was fatally hurt, and Deputy Northrup, who ran to their assistance, was knocked senseless with a bar of iron. He also is fatally hurt. Eight of the ringleaders are confined in dungeons, while the others are under strict guard in their cells.

There are reports of trouble in the vicinity of Hutton, Mont., where the Cheynne Indians are said to be creating alarm among stockmen and ranchers by killing and running off cattle and otherwise terrorizing the inhabitants of the not stated by whom, but it is probable the Indians are responsible for the killings. The place infested by them is on the Rosebud in the Wolf Mountains, an out-of-the-way place seldom heard from. The settlers are greatly alarmed over the appearance of the Cheyennes and their

boldness in killing the stock. Fire completely burned out the interior of the five-story building at the southwest corner of Wabash avenue and Randolph street, Chicago, Monday night | ination, one of \$500, one of \$1,000 and shortly after 11 o'clock. Eight firms oc- five of \$50. They were nibbled around | butter, creamery, 16c to 24c; eggs, Westcupied the building, which is owned by the edges, but enough remained to ren- ern, 21c to 24c.

enormous stocks of goods stored in inflammable buildings. A second fire in Haymarket Square at the same time did several thousand dollars' damage.

Chicago staggered all day Tuesday from the shock of Monday night's storm. Wreck and ruin were on every hand. Death hung in the air from a thousand broken wires, but luckily passed humanity by. From the lake came reports of disaster after disaster, but here again fortune favored life and only vessels suffered in the general destruction. For hours the city was cut off from the outside world. At a breath old Boreas humbled its pride in the snow. The imperial city of a mighty empire, Chicago was reduced in an hour to a pitiful dominion thirty miles square. Every telegraph wire leading out of the city was down or disabled, and Chicago sat in the midst of isolation as well as ruin.

Three hundred delegates were present Monday at the opening session of the transmississippi congress at Omaha, which was presided over by ex-Delegate to Congress George Q. Cannon, of Utah, who was elected president of the congress at the St. Louis gathering last year. The general object of the congress is the promotion of the welfare of the West, and under this head a vast number of questions have been scheduled for discussion and action. Among those are the irrigation of arid lands, the improvement of waterways and deep-water harbors, the construction and maintenance of levees on the Mississippi and its tributaries, discriminations in transmississippi freight rates, the necessity for a national bankrupt law, the restriction of immigration, methods for the relief of agricultural depression, the project for cable communication with Honolulu and the admission of territories to Statehood.

At noon Thursday the ears of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll must have burned and his heart must have palpitated. If the great agnostic were a believer in mental telegraphy he must certainly have received numerous messages from people whom he had never had the pleasure of meeting. At 12 o'clock 3,000 supplications went up from the Cleveland Chris- | Corinth. tian Endeavorers to the throne of grace | Hawaiian sugar planters are trying to in behalf of the salvation of the soul of Col. Ingersoll. There was no general meeting of those interested in the Colonel's salvation, but the effort was an individual one on the part of the members of the Christian Endeavor societies of Cleveland. At the meeting of the Salvation army a fervent prayer was offered for "Pagan Bob," and each member of the great army decided to send the Colonel a personal appeal to see the error of his way and to embrace the faith of the Christian church. This action was taken amidst great enthusiasm, and it is likely that the mail of Col. In gersoll will be materially increased by several thousand letters from his new friends in the Forest City. The Chris tian Endeavor societies of Canada have been requested to unite upon a day in prayer to God for the conversion of Col.

Ingersoll. One of the most disagreeable storms in the annals of weather bureaus descended on Chicago late Monday afternoon. It rained, it snowed, and between times sleet pelted down pitilessly. Untold damage was caused by the elements. When night came the downpour of the mixture of snow and rain and sleet came heavier and the wind, which was gusty in the afternoon, rose to a gale. The streets the pavements and sidewalks were flooded to a depth of three inches with slush. The storm made the pavements almost impassable; street car traffic was seriously interfered with; trolley lines were broken with the weight of the snow; telephone and telegraph wires were borne down, broken and crossed until half the wires in the city were made useless by midnight, and communication with the outside world was entirely cut off except at long intervals. Ends of broken trolley and other electrically charged wires dropped into the streets to the positive danger of passers. Numbers of accidents of this sort were reported from various parts of the city, and the operation of trolley lines in the outskirts of the city suspended early in the evening on many streets. Then, too, the lake was lashed to a seething caldron, and it seems a miracle that many boats were not not lost at the harbor entrance, as a twodays' storm had driven them all to that end of the lake, and snow obscured the harbor lights.

SOUTHERN.

Ex-Congressman Bland did not deliver his lecture at Savannah, Ga., only one ticket having been sold.

George Phealan, son of the late Congressman Phealan, of Memphis, Tenn., died at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, from injuries received in foot-ball game.

Four people were found murdered on a boat adrift in Red River near Paris, Texas. A dog stood guard over one of the bodies. Federal officers are now investigating the ghastly details of the mysterious affair.

A negro tramp was caught trying to | choice green hurl, 21/2e to 4e per pound. wreck a train near Calvert City, Ky. and pursued to the woods, where he was overtaken and riddled with bullets and then hanged to a tree. The locality is surrounded by a wilderness. The name of the victim is unknown.

WASHINGTON.

According to E. C. Benedict, President Cleveland would not accept a third nomi nation for the Presidency under any cir cumstances.

Mrs. Jenness Miller, the dress reformer, has arranged to build a magnificent home in Columbia Heights, a fashionable suburb of Washington

Secretary Hoke Smith says that under the competitive bid system the cost of printing the Patent Office Gazette has been reduced from \$156,000 to \$85,000 a

Investigation throughout the executive departments at Washington as to stamp thefts has resulted in an ending even worse than was first expected in the Treasury. Autograph fiends, too, have been at work among the files. The signatures of many great men, long since dead, especially Presidents of the United States, affixed to papers in the land office, have been stolen. The papers have been in many instances rendered practically valuless by this mutilation, which is

a very serious matter. Among the bills recently presented for redemption at the United States Treasury at Washington were ten of \$100 denom-

A. S. Trude. The loss will aggregate | der them good. This \$2,750 constituted \$150,000. Though the blaze was con- a mouse's nest. The bills had been laid fined to the Trude building, the firemen | away in a trunk, and when the owner had to make one of the stubborn battles | went to look for them they were gone. for which the Chicago department is | Search was instituted, but no trace of TRYING TO ENFORCE THE ILLI- | BIG THANKSGIVING DAY FOOTfamous. The gale was blowing fifty them could be found. Finally a househole miles an hour, and in every direction were | was noticed through the bottom of the trunk, leading under the floor. The boards were taken up and a mouse scampered away, leaving five litle pink and white creatures too young to walk lying on the pile of greenbacks.

> The office of road inquiry of the Department of Agriculture has completed an interesting investigation relating to the common roads of the United States. Returns have been received from about 1,-200 counties, showing the average length of haul from farms to markets or shipping points to be twelve miles, the average weight of load for two horses 2,002 pounds, the average cost per ton per mile 25 cents and \$3 for the entire haul. Estimating the farm products at 219,824,-227 tons in weight and making estimates on other articles carried over the public roads, it is calculated that the aggregate expense of this transportation in the United States is \$946,414,665 per annum. Reports have been asked from the United States consuls abroad of the expense of hauling where the roads are good, so as to render possible a calculation which will show how much of this vast outlay is due to bad roads. The estimate is ventured, however, upon information in the office concerning the loss of time in reaching markets, the enforced idleness and the wear and tear to the live stock and hauling machinery caused by poor roads, that two-thirds of the cost might be saved by an improvement of the roads.

FOREIGN.

The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough have arrived at Gibraltar.

It is reported that Chili is about to raise a loan of \$30,000,000. General Maceo, the Cuban insurgent

leader, is reported to have been killed in battle. Alexandre Dumas, the French writer and author of "La Dame Aux Camelias,"

is dangerously ill at Paris. Sharp earthquake shocks were felt Tuesday morning at Athens, Greece, and also at Chalcis, Livadia, Thebes, and

break the agreement by which they contracted to sell their entire product to the sugar trust for the next two years.

The sugar and peanut crops of Zam besia have proved almost total failures because of the ravages of locusts. There is great distress among the natives.

Instructions, is is announced, have been sent to the British minister at Rio Janeiro to invite Brazil to submit the question of the ownership of the Island of Trinidad to arbitration.

Armenians at Constantinople who claim to be well informed estimate the property of people massacred is said to reach forty

A special London dispatch from Shanghai says that the French mission at Luihsiang has been destroyed by the natives of that vicinity during the absence of the French gunboat which is usually stationed in those waters.

Honolulu advices say: The Hawaiian Government will make a strong effort to bring the annexation question before the next Congress. Another commission will be sent to Washington. It is probable that President Dole, W. C. Wilder, president of the senate, and Cecil Brown will be members of the commission. They expect to sail from Honolulu Dec. 9.

IN GENERAL

Canadian students at a Toronto college tore down an American flag hoisted by the American students, and a pitched

battle followed. Obituary-At New Orleans, Solon Knight, of Kankakee, Ill., 63; at Milan Mo., Dr. J. E. Nelson; at Elkhart, Ind. Harrison Zeigler, 74.

Obituary-At London, Barthlemy Saint Hilaire and Lord de Tabley; at Springfield, Ill., General I. B. Curran, 79; at Joliet, Ill., John Pickering, 49.

In the foot-ball games Thursday at Chicago, Ann Arbor defeated the University of Chicago by a score of 12 to 0. The Boston and Chicago Athletic clubs played a tie game, 4 to 4. At Philadelphia, Pennsylvania beat Cornell, 46 to 2. At Providence, R. I., Brown University defeated Dartmouth 10 to 4. At Washington, Columbia Athletic won from Columbia University, 14 to 12. At Louisville Louisville Athletic defeated DePany University 12 to 10. At Lafayette, Ind. Illinois University lost to Purdue, 6 to 2.

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$5.25; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 56c to 57c; corn, No. 2, 27e to 28e; oats, No. 2, 17e to 18e; rye, No. 2, 36e to 38e; butter, choice creamery, 22c to 24c; eggs, fresh, 19c to 21c; potatoes, per bushel, 20c to 30c; broom corn, common growth to

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$4.00 sheep, common to prime, \$2.00 to \$3,50; wheat, No. 2, 63e to 65e; corn, No. 1 white, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 21c

to 22c. St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 60c to 62c; corn. No. 2 yellow, 24c to 25c; oats, No. 2 white, 17c to 18c; rye, No. 2, 33c to 34c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$3.50 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 66c to 67c; corn. No. 2 mixed, 31c to 33c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 21c to 22c; rve. No. 2, 39c to 41c.

Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.25; hogs,

\$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75 wheat, No. 2 red, 65c to 66c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 29c to 31c; oats, No. 2 white, 21c to 22c; rye, 38c to 40c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 65c to 66c; corn. No. 2 yellow, 28c to 29c; oats, No

2 white, 20c to 22c; rye, No. 2, 38c to 40c; clover seed, \$4.50 to \$4.55. Buffalo-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.75 wheat, No. 2 red, 68c to 70c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 35c to 36c; oats, No. 2 white,

22c to 24c. Milwankee-Wheat, No. 2 spring, 57c to 58c; corn, No. 3, 27c to 28c; oats, No 2 white, 18c to 20c; barley, No. 2, 35c to 36c; ryc, No. 1, 37c to 38c; pork, mess,

\$7.75 to \$8.25. New York-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.25; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 35c to 37c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c;

NOIS SUNDAY LAW.

Twelve or More Miners Dead-Nebraska Farmers Caught Running Secret Stills with Rich Results-Report of the Director of the Mint,

A Rough Scrape.

Manager Eden, of the Great Northern Hotel, Chicago, and twenty-eight barbers were ordered committed to jail Friday evening by Justice Lee because they refused to satisfy the Court with proper bonds in the cases where they had been convicted of violating the Sunday law. Bonds were furnished by each defendant to the amount of \$300, but the fee of \$1 in each case was refused on the ground Judge Windes had ordered the Justice to collect no further fees until the question of the writ of prohibition which had been asked for had been passed on. The defendants also demurred to what they called extortionate fees, claiming Justice Lee had no authority to exact more than 35 cents in each case. Justice Lee declared if the fees were not paid he would commit them all to jail, and on their persisting in their refusal mitimuses were

New York's Mining Horror.

An accident, resulting in the loss of thirteen or fourteen lives, occurred at the mines at Tilly Foster, near Carmel, N. Y., Friday afternoon. Foreman Murtha was descending into the pit to take the time of two gangs of laborers, numbering thirty-five men, who were working at the bottom, when a vast weight of earth and rock slid with the force of an Indiana men and Ann Arbor-12 to 10avalanche from the mouth of the pit to places Purdue high in the Western plane the bottom, a distance of 300 feet. The earth crashed over the men with tremendous force. Out of one gang of eleven men only five came out alve, and three of the men employed in another gang were taken out dead.

Our Gold and Silver. The Director of the Mint reports \$87,-482,082 of gold deposited at the mints and assay offices during the last fiscal versity, 0. year, of which \$22,320,022 consisted of Missouri University, 10; Kansas Uniredeposits. The value of the silver deposited during the same period was \$15,-714,365, all original deposits except \$479. 665. The mints coined during the year \$43,933,475 gold: \$3,956,011 in silver dollars; \$5,113,469 subsidiary silver coins; \$712,594 minor coins; total, \$53,715,549.

Sugar Beets Make Good Whisky. The vast yield of sugar beets in Nebraska and the inability of farmers to tion of winter wheat, ravages of the dispose of them as rapidly as convenient | Hessian fly, and the prevalence of hog has provoked some peculiar violations of cholera. losses by the disturbances in Anatolia | the revenue laws. A still has been capalone at \$50,000,000, while the number tured in Sherman County from which whisky was being made from the beets. It was owned by Charles Reidil, a farmer. The quality was good, and fears are entertained by revenue officials that others will engage in the business.

Gold bars to the value of \$10,341,545 were

manufactured.

Two Negroes Lynched by a Mob. At 8 o'clock Friday night Joe Robinson and Ozias McGahey, negroes, were taken from the jail at Fayetteville, Tenn., by a mob composed of people from Lincoln and Marshall Counties and hanged. The negroes had been taken from Nashville to Lewisburg, Marshall County, tried for assault, convicted, and sentenced to the full penalty of the law.

NEWS NUGGETS.

John J. Overton, aged 98, of Fort Smith, Ark., has been convicted of forging affidavits in support of his application for a pension.

At Berlin Dr. Foerster has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for leze majesty in the publication of an article in his paper, the Ethische-Kultur. General Charles H. T. Collis, an active anti-Platt Republican, was appointed commissioner of public works of New York, vice William Brookfield, resigned.

Jabez S. Balfour, the Liberator Society swindler, has been sentenced to fourteen years' imprisonment. The two Michigan the, fly is working, but most men convicted with him get nine and of the counties are free. Almost no dantfour months each. Judge D. D. Rose, president of the

Curryville, Mo., Bank, has been hie coughing constantly for the last week and although several doctors have at tended him they can do nothing for him. His death is hourly expetced. A San Francisco local paper prints a

letter from Arizona signed John Doe, in which the writer says he committed the murder for which Garland Stemler and Louis Mureno were lynched by a mob at Yreka, Cal., last August. Two other men were lynched at the same time. The suit of negro residents of the Chero-

kee nation to establish their rights as citizens has been compromised. The settlement makes the negroes citizens of the Cherokee nation and entitles them to \$1,-300,000 of the money received from the strip and their interest in unsold lands.

Notice has been served upon the Central Trust Company of New York by counsel for a Connecticut bondholder of the Chicago gas companies to show cause before the attorney general of New York why suit should not be brought against that institution to prevent the attempted consolidation of Chicago gas properties.

Rev. A. Henrich and his wife were asphyxiated at Platte Center, Neb., by gas from their hard-coal stove. Mr. Henrich was found dead and his wife was dying when neighbors forced the door. They came from Louisville, Ky., several years ago and are well known in many States. Their children reside in Denver and have been notified.

A formidable expedition against Hayti is being organized at Kingston, Jamaica. The new crop of Congressmen evidently by Boissond Caual, it is reported on trustworthy authority. Caual is being assisted by a well-known Philadelphia firm. The expedition is to sail early in December. The plan is to scatter munitions of war at various points in the black republic during the coming elections.

Senor Cyrillo Machado has been appointed Portuguese minister to the Unit-

Count von Taafe, the Austrian statesman, died at Ellishau, Bohemia, Friday morning.

Edmund C. Steadman has declined an offer of the new Billings chair of English literature at Yale College because he is

William McGerron, of Chicago, private

BARBERS GO TO JAIL. YELLS AND GOALS.

BALL GAMES.

Michigan Beats Chicago in the Annual Battle-Chicago Athletics Play a Tie with Boston Athletics-Big Attendance at All the Games.

Results of Battles.

margins. Then the

OOT-BALL games are over, the season having ended with the contests of Thanksgiving day. It has been by far the greatest year the college game has known in the West University of Mich. igan went East and lost to Harvard by the narrowest of

West and found teams that worried them almost as much as had the crimson. This only goes to show that the East and West are coming quickly to a level in foot-ball matters. As a result of her decisive defeat of Chicago, says a Chicago correspondent. Michigan can, with much justice, claim the championship of the West. She has not played thestrong teams west of the Mississippi --Missouri, Nebraska, and Kansas-but there is not good reason for believing that she does not excel them, improved as they are along with the other teams of the West. Purdue's defeat of Illinois after the latter's decisive victory over Northwestern and the close score between the The scores at the close of Thursday's games stood as follows:

University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0. Chicago Athletic Association, 4; Bos

ton Athletic Association, 4. Purdue, 6; University of Illinois, 2. University of Pennsylvania, 46; Cor-

nell, 2. University of Nebraska, 6; Iowa Uni-

Brown University, 19; Dartmouth, 4. Stanford, 6: University of California, 6.

OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

Reports on Winter Wheat, Hessian Fly, and Hog Cholera.

Reports have been received from the correspondents of the Farmers' Review in twelve States relative to the condi-

Winter Wheat.-In Illinois some of thelate-sown wheat is not yet up. Dry weather interfered with both the sowing and development of the seed. Some of the early-sown that has come up is weak and small in size. Although the condition, is at present hardly fair, yet there is a probability that great improvement will take place. In Indiana the present condition is not good, drought having been the great retarding factor. In Ohiodrought has had very harmful effect. Some of the correspondents report the seed rotted in the ground. In other cases it has made small growth. Late rains have done some good. Early sown wheat is doing well in localities. In Michigan, it is in bad condition, in some localities the worst for many years. Kentucky reports very poor outlook, the drouth having hurt the crop everyweere. The same causes have operated to the detriment of the crop in Missouri. Kansas reports indicate that the late rains have done some good, but the effects of the dry fail are such that the general combition is poor. In Nebraska little has been sown, and the outlook is poor to fair. The little sown in Iowa is in fair condition. In

Wisconsin the condition is very poor. Hessian Fly.-In Illinois, Hessian fly is reported in only a few counties. Very little injury from this source is heard of in Indians. In Ohio a little is reported in the early sown wheat, but little harn has been done. In a few localities in age is reported from Kentucky. The fly is present here and there in Missouri, but seems to be of no particular consequence. Kansas reports small ravages. of this insect, and the same is generally

Hog Cholera. In Illinois the ravages of hog cholera are causing immense loss to the farmers. In some of the counties. half of the hogs have died, and the disease continues. In a large number of localities it is the worst for several years.

true of Iowa, Nebraska and Wisconsin.



California strawberries are in the local market, but they are not in our midst, Ah, that man Campos is a fighter!

Spain has just sent him 30,000 more men. The Indianapolis Sentinel says that "the big theater hat is going out." Don't give it a return pass check.

Philadelphia reported a slight earthquake shock recently. Probably the same one we had several weeks ago. Something is the matter with Nellie

Bly. We don't know what it is; but ske hasn't broken out in print for nearly a week A Washington paper announces that

that town is now overrun with tramps. is beginning to arrive. Two New York thieves have been arrested for stealing a copper roof off a

lofty building. Some of these days those fellows will steal a well, cut it up and sell it for post holes. A Kentucky father took his gun to a train the other day and intercepted his. eloping daughter. It begins to look as

if Cupid would better swap his bow and

arrows for a revolver. During a political debate the other day. Kentucky's Secretary of State indulged in some cutting remarks and made a few incisive arguments with a dirk knife. They think the other fellow will live.

In a lecture before a New York audience the other night Lieutenant Pears secretary to the State treasurer, was frankly admitted that he failed to disdangerously hurt in a foot-ball game at cover the pole. So it will be unnecessary to throw him down and search him.